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TO : DIRECTOR, FBI

FROM : SAC, CHICAGO (176-5) (Control)

SUBJECT: DISTURBANCES IN CONNECTION
WITH THE DEMOCRATIC NATIONAL
CONVENTION
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Re Butel to all SACs, 9/12/68, noting Chicago opening 700 Antiriot Laws cases and setting out widespread leads.

In connection with captioned matter and individual cases arising therefrom, in conducting interviews with subjects and/or prospective witnesses, particular attention should be given to the following individuals who were active in organizing and/or in participating in disorders which occurred in Chicago:

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The above individuals are or have been affiliated with new left type organizations or black nationalist organizations.

Interviews should explore and resolve indications of pre-convention planning to incite or commit violence, and cover affiliations with other individuals or organizations involved in disturbances. Any knowledge of interviewees relating to the above indicated individuals or other identified leaders of disorders or violence must be thoroughly established.

Above individuals should not be considered as all inclusive as relates to possible leaders or organizers of disturbances which occurred in Chicago.

The above should be brought to the attention of all Agents handling 176 investigations.

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TO : DIRECTOR, FBI AND ALL SACS
FROM : SAC, CHICAGO (176-5) (CONTROL)
SUBJECT: ✓ DISTURBANCES IN CONNECTION WITH
DEMOCRATIC NATIONAL CONVENTION (DNC)
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Rebutels to all SACS, 9/12 and 13/68, setting forth instructions relating to ARL investigations stemming from DNC.

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RICHARD CLAXTON GREGORY, aka
Dick Gregory, ARL

GREGORY is a Negro male, age 35, born 10/12/32, in St. Louis, Missouri. He is a nationally-known entertainer, author, lecturer, civil rights activist.

For months prior to 4/68, GREGORY had announced plans to disrupt the Democratic National Convention (DNC) in Chicago, 8/26-29/68, by such means as inviting hordes of protestors who would swarm over the Amphitheatre, where the convention would be held. GREGORY said the DNC would be held only over his dead body unless "they" met his terms, which were primarily in the civil rights field. Then in 4/68, GREGORY announced cancellation of his plans to protest at the DNC, because of disturbances and emotionalism following murder of MARTIN LUTHER KING, JR.

Thereafter, GREGORY was in jail in Olympia, Washington, from 6/7/68, to 7/16/68, for illegal fishing.

During the DNC, GREGORY spoke to the demonstrators in Grant Park on 8/28/68; and 8/29/68 he led a march of demonstrators from the Park, south in the general direction of the Amphitheatre, where the DNC was in session. He maintained he had invited the demonstrators to his home and had a right to proceed, despite police orders to stop at 18th and Michigan Avenue. He was arrested, along with a number of others, at 18th and Michigan for failure to obey a police order. The arrest was peaceful but during the confrontation between the marchers and police at 18th Street, there was considerable disorder and the National Guard used tear gas on the crowd to disperse it.

GREGORY resides at 1451 East 55th Street, Chicago. He is an independent candidate for President of the United States. Early in September, 1968, he traveled to Paris and met with representatives of the North Vietnamese peace delegation.

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✓ DELLINGER, DAVID TYRE -176-1-6p4	100-43767	176-41	100-384411	NK 100-41323
✓ GREGORY, RICHARD CLAXTON -176-1-6	157-347	176-31	100-440423	CG 157-347
✓ HAYDEN, THOMAS EMMETT -176-1-6p6	100-39500	176-38	100-438281	CG 100-39500
✓ HOFFMAN, ABBOTT -176-1-6p1	100-45292	176-28	100-449923	NY 100-161445
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✓ SEALE, BOBBY GEORGE -176-1-6p12	157-3315	176-40	105-137683	SF 100-53950
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✓ MICHAEL KENNETH KLONSKY -176-1-3p2	100-45601	176-8		
[Redacted] -176-1-6p15	100-45891	176-84	100-417909	NY 100-160649
✓ CARL PRESTON OGLESBY, JR. -176-1-3p2	100-42010	176-12	105-142056	DE 100-31060

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Pertinent information from symbolized informants or other sources whose identities must be protected should be reported in accordance with existing instructions relating to preparation of criminal type reports.

Exhibition of any photographs to effect identification should be handled in accordance with existing instructions and a record maintained of photographs so exhibited.

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During the course of these investigations, all offices, where indicated, should be alert to additional violations and initiate ARL cases. Bear in mind in all cases where subject resides other than in Illinois, basis for prosecution will rest within that division. Those offices having individuals who traveled to Chicago for the DNC who are logical subjects in ARL investigations should open such cases advising the Bureau and Chicago.

Concerning copies, in connection with CR or ARL investigations, each auxiliary office should submit five copies to the Bureau, two copies for Chicago, plus an additional two copies for the USA at Chicago. All offices should also be alert to any other dissemination required by the Bureau such as if a subject is employed by the Federal Government or is in an alien status, extra copies should be designated to the Bureau for possible dissemination.

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ALL OFFICES RE RICHARD CLAXTON GREGORY

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Concerning investigation relating to GREGORY, it is noted that prior to the DNC, GREGORY made a nation wide tour speaking on various college campuses, at which he called for individuals to come to Chicago during the DNC for the purpose of participating in demonstrations. Although GREGORY subsequently, prior to the convention, stated he did not personally intend to lead any demonstrations in Chicago because of his fear of possible injury to participants, GREGORY did participate in demonstrations which occurred in Chicago during the DNC and was arrested by the Chicago PD on 8/29/68, at 18th and Michigan, when a large group staged a march out of Grant Park heading in the general direction of the Amphitheatre, where the DNC was in session.

Each office should review their indices relative to GREGORY and where GREGORY appeared in your territory, appropriate investigations should be conducted to develop witnesses relating to possible ARL violation.

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Attached hereto for each office is a summary prepared by the Chicago Office relating to activities during the week of the DNC to assist in conducting interviews relating to possible ARL violations.

BUREAU HAS INSTRUCTED INVESTIGATIONS MUST BE IMMEDIATE, CONTINUOUS, THOROUGH, OBJECTIVE, AND CONDUCTED WITH IMAGINATION AND DISPATCH TO COMPLETE AND SUREP EARLIEST TIME POSSIBLE WITH FIVE COPIES FOR BUREAU. ALL SPECIFIC DEADLINES MUST BE MET WITHOUT FAIL. BUREAU HAS FURTHER INSTRUCTED THAT EACH SAC WILL BE HELD PERSONALLY ACCOUNTABLE FOR HANDLING OF INVESTIGATIONS IN EACH DIVISION. ADDITIONAL BUREAU INSTRUCTIONS ARE SET FORTH IN REFERENCED COMMUNICATIONS.

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SUBJECT: RICHARD CLAXTON GREGORY - 176-1-105
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OO: Chicago

Re Chicago airtel to Director and all SACs dated 9/17/68, and captioned "DISTURBANCES IN CONNECTION WITH DEMOCRATIC NATIONAL CONVENTION (DNC). ARL."

Referenced airtel contained lead concerning GREGORY for those Divisions in which GREGORY had appeared (prior to his activities at the DNC in Chicago in 8/68, in which he lead demonstrations) to conduct appropriate investigations relative to possible ARL violations.

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For the information of recipient offices where no investigation of GREGORY in this case was warranted, on 10/22/68, Assistant United States Attorney [REDACTED] advised that he would decline prosecution of GREGORY in this case since it does not appear to be a prosecutable violation.

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